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# JAPANESE FIRE ON NANKING

Railroad Salaries Cut; Agreement Is Reached Sunday

Train Workers to Get 10 Per Cent Slash—Now Effective

TO AID BUSINESS

Ends Negotiations Among Representatives for Two Million

CHICAGO.—(P)—The unionized forces of United States railways Sunday accepted a ten per cent wage reduction for the year beginning February 1, making an unprecedented decision in the expressed hope of stimulating the revival of business.

Negotiations that started January 15 ended Sunday afternoon as the representatives of nearly 2,000,000 rail workers agreed to the proposal of the employers, and the representatives of more than 200 railroads promised an earnest and sympathetic effort to maintain an increase in employment.

One Year Contract

Basic rates remain the same, but a flat ten per cent will be deducted from each railroad workers' paycheck from Monday until January 31, 1933, when the agreement automatically terminates. The railroads expect to save about \$215,000,000, making the reduction apply to unorganized as well as the brotherhood and union men.

It was a momentous occasion, widely heralded as a possible spur to renewed business activity, as the men whose wages are protected by contract capitulated to the arguments of their employers. In addition to the immediate importance as a relief measure to the stricken railway industry, it marked an entirely new phase in the relationship between railway capital and labor.

11 in Session 11 Days

For the first time, on a nationwide scale, presidents of railroads and heads of labor organizations sat down at a conference table and proceeded amicably and unhurriedly to work out a solution to their problems. At no time during the 17 days they were in session or were deliberating their next move, was there any display of animosity between the two groups.

The labor delegation tried to have a definite standard set for the stabilization of employment. It sought to bargain for a six and one half per cent deduction and it made an attempt to start a joint study of the six hour day. But in the end the unions bowed to what they recognized as "urgent needs of the railroad industry and the demands of the public welfare" and accepted the full ten per cent cut.

The concessions granted the workers were substantially those that had previously been described by their spokesmen as unsatisfactory. The railroads pledged their "earnest and sympathetic" efforts to keep up present forces and increase them if possible, with each road negotiating with its men for that purpose. They agreed to refer to a joint commission the subjects of retirement insurance, elective workers' compensation and dismissal wages. They promised to establish regional employment bureaus in New York, Chicago and Washington.

Two things had a vital bearing on the outcome, although neither was a recognized factor in the negotiations. The first was the possibility of a larger permanent reduction, raised by the railroads in the formal notices already served by the railroads asking for a 15 per cent reduction. The second was the possibility of strengthening materially the amicable relations between the men and the railroads.

Bodenhamer Wins In Legion Contest

50,527 Members Signed Up in Week Named for Post Commander

LITTLE ROCK.—O. L. Bodenhamer, of El Dorado, past national commander of the American Legion, has been declared winner over Ralph T. O'Neil, past national commander of Topeka, Kansas, in the recent Legion membership drive which was led by the two former commanders, a report received from the Legion national headquarters in Indianapolis, Indiana.

During "Bodenhamer Week" 50,527 members were recruited, while in "O'Neil Week" only 31,355 members were registered.

Arkansas was a heavy contributor to the Bodenhamer victory, 3,005 membership cards having been turned in during his week. New York led Arkansas by only four cards, but Pennsylvania led all states with 17,127 cards.

"Quit at 93?—I've Only Started!"



Declare Martial Law in Shanghai Late Sunday Night

Japanese Warships Shell Nanking; Officials Indignant

FIRE ON OIL PLANT

American Destroyer Anchored in Harbor to Protest This Property

SHANGHAI.—(P)—Shanghai boiled with indignation Monday at the reports that Japanese warships had shelled Nanking, landing their marines under protection of gunfire from destroyers.

Martial law was declared in the international settlement here Sunday night and the streets were swept of civilians while the United States Marines and other foreign troops threw up wire entanglements ten feet high in cross streets, planting machine guns at strategic points.

The situation is ominously calm.

Fire On Oil Plant

SHANGHAI.—(P)—Bullets cracked into the Shanghai plant of the American Texaco Oil company Monday when a Japanese destroyer steaming down the Wangpo river raked the shore with machine gun fire.

No one was hurt and none of the tanks were exploded by the fire, but company officials protested to the American consul and an American destroyer was ordered anchored at the Texaco wharf.

Clyde Hill Drops Dead Monday Noon

Hope Salesman Succumbs to Heart Attack at 12:45

H. Clyde Hill, 50, widely known Hope salesman, dropped dead in his home at 302 North Pine street at 12:45 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Heart disease struck him down without warning. Mr. Hill, who was city salesman for the Plunkett-Jarrell Grocer company, was apparently in the best of health Monday morning, completing his early rounds and going home for luncheon. After luncheon he rose to put on his coat and return to the office, but fell to the floor.

He had been connected with the Plunkett-Jarrell company continuously for 22 years, and was known to merchants throughout Southwest Arkansas.

Mr. Hill was born and reared at Columbus, this county. He is survived by his widow and three children, John Clyde Hill, Nancy and Evelyn; his mother, Mrs. J. C. Hill, of Columbus, and four sisters, Mrs. T. C. Wilson, Columbus; Mrs. S. W. Mulkey, of the Little River Country club, Horatio; Mrs. J. R. Dodson, Texarkana, and Mrs. A. Walker, of Columbus, Kan.

The Columbus (Ark.) relatives were called to Hope immediately, but funeral arrangements had not been completed late Monday afternoon.

Hope For Missing Plane Abandoned

Rain and Fog Handicap Searchers for Air Liner Lost in Mountains

LOS ANGELES.—(P)—Wet, foggy weather handicapped the search Sunday for the missing Century-Pacific air liner which, with its pilot and seven passengers, disappeared between Bakersfield and Los Angeles late Friday, and is believed to have crashed in the rugged terrain surrounding Lockwood Valley.

Ground parties penetrated the district and a few airplanes combed the fog but the major air search was suspended, due to low visibility. The valley is 20 miles southeast of Lebec.

Hope has been abandoned for the lives of those aboard the plane, including Frank Dewar, chief deputy sheriff of Los Angeles, and three women.

Participation of the Army Air Corps in the search was interrupted at noon when Col. H. M. Arnold ordered 18 planes, 10 pursuit ships, and eight bombers, to return to Murchfield.

The story of a Century-Pacific field, who said he believed he saw human figures on the mountain, also is being investigated.

Snow from a foot and a half to two feet in depth covers the region.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



When a boy calls a girl a "good number," it's her figure that counts.

Cotton Is More in Demand, Less Sold

Inquiries Point to Larger Orders, But Sellers Hold for Price

MEMPHIS.—(U. S. Dept. Agriculture)—The cotton market during period Jan. 23 to 29 was steady with quotations Jan. 29 practically unchanged compared to those of Jan. 22. Domestic and foreign demand for American cotton was rather mixed ranging from fair to good.

Inquiries continued to be centered largely on low grades in staple length 7-8 inch up to and including 1 inch. Transactions in such cottons were said to have continued largely at a flat price rather than at a basis and buyers seemed to be particularly interested in cottons that could be purchased around five to five and one-half cents per pound.

Increased inquiries for larger lots of cotton for forward business seemed in evidence with sellers not inclined to meet them unless they considered a cheap basis offered by buyers.

The holding movement on the part of producers was said to continue. Average price of middling 7-8 inch as compared from quotations of the ten markets Jan. 20th, 6.26 cents compared with 6.28 cents Jan. 22nd and 9.59 cents on the corresponding day a year ago.

Reported sales of spot cotton in the ten markets for the week were in fair volume, amounting to 155,409 bales compared with 161,200 the previous week, and 62,044 for like week previous year.

According to Weather Bureau for week ending Jan. 26 it was too wet in much of the South and contained rains in the Southern states except in extreme west hindered in preparation of soil for spring planting.

Exports to Japan this season amounted to about 4,800,000 bales against about 4,400,000 a year ago for corresponding period.

Exports to both Japan and China continue heavy. Ginnings prior to January 16 amounted to 16,000,000 bales.

The weight of the bales this season is said to be unusually heavy. The apparent supply of American cotton remaining in the United States on Jan. 1 for the balance of this season was 17,000,000 bales compared with 12,700,000 a year earlier and 3,800,000 the same time in the season 1926-27 which was the previous record supply for that time of the year.

According to the N. Y. Cotton Exchange Service world consumption of American cotton during first 5 months this season amounted to 4,900,000 bales, compared with 4,400,000 last year and 3,900,000 a year before. According to the Bureau of Census there were operated some time during the month of Dec. 24,600,000 cotton spinning spindles, compared with 24,900,000 for November and 25,600,000 for December 1930.

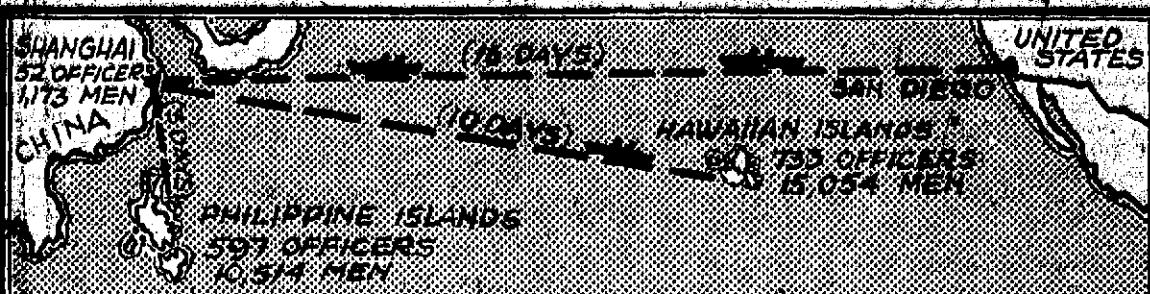
Pepper Martin's Nephew Starts Diamond Career

SPRINGFIELD, Mo.—(P)—Norman Gardner of Temple, Okla., nephew of "Pepper" Martin, sensational Cardinal outfielder, has been signed to play with Springfield of the Western Association.

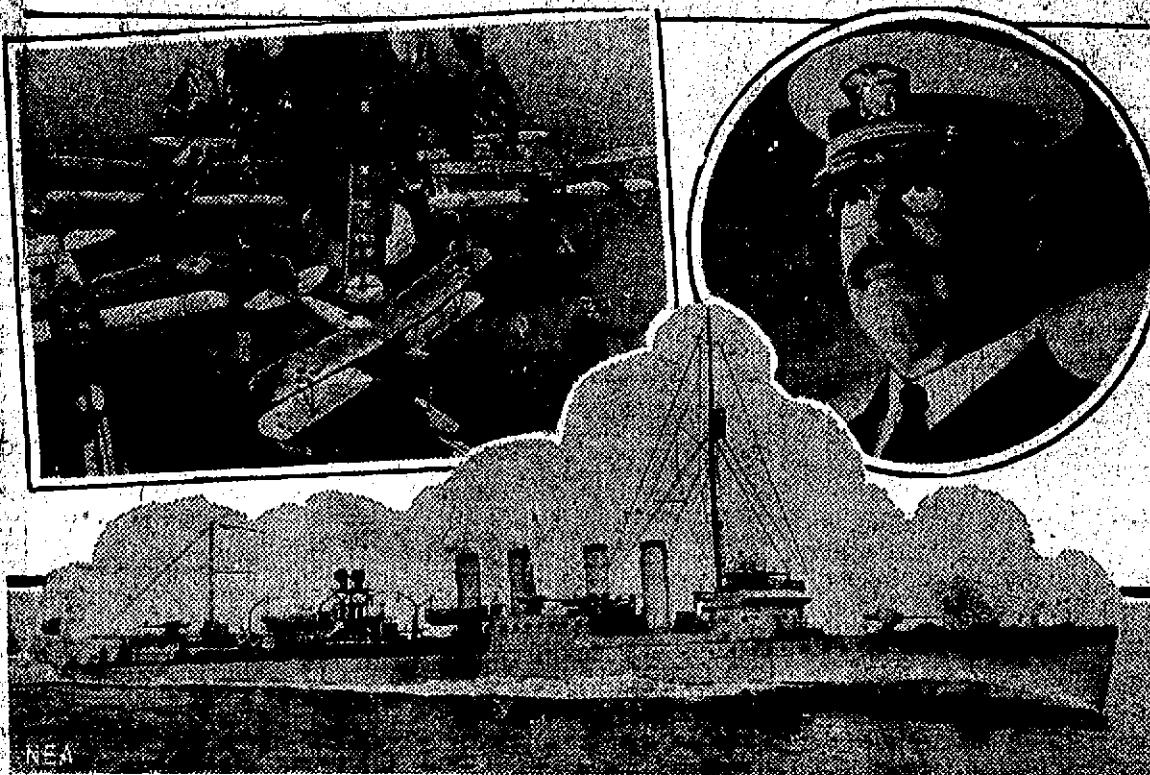
The recruit is recommended by Martin himself, who says Gardner is "faster than I am."

Snow from a foot and a half to two feet in depth covers the region.

U. S. Fleet Awaits Orders In Crisis at Shanghai



This sketch shows the present American naval strength in the Pacific



30,000 Chinese Are Guarding Harbor of Former Capital

American Destroyer Ordered to Nankin Front Port at Shanghai

U. S. WATCHES ORIENT

Ambassador Forbes on Free Hand in Pacific Situation

WASHINGTON.—(P)—The United States advised Monday that it will send a naval force to Nanking, undeterred by the capital of the Chinese government.

Thirty thousand Chinese troops lined up behind hastily constructed fortifications on the water front.

A lone American destroyer, the Simpson, changed its position.

The Japanese have a strong force of warships there, and some 200,000 Americans are in the city.

The destroyer Simpson is commanded by Lieutenant Commander E. B. Rulledge and is the only American ship at Nanking, which is 100 miles from Shanghai. It has six officers and 115 men.

One or more of the four destroyers which arrived at Shanghai Sunday will be dispatched up the Yangtze river.

President Hoover was advised immediately of the critical development, which doubtless means that some measures will be taken immediately for the protection of American citizens.

The Italian government in Washington is taking steps to protest against the value of the course at Shanghai.

Hoover Watches Orient

WASHINGTON.—(P)—Hoover kept a weather eye on the Orient Monday, while at the same time he was granting Ambassador Forbes a free hand in Tokyo, to co-operate with the diplomats of other powers to preserve the lives and property of foreigners in China.

Apparently he has decided for the present to let events run their course.

The United States declined to participate as a member of the League of Nations' neutral commission to investigate chaotic conditions in Shanghai.

Relief For Banks Next On Program

Controversy Looms in Congress, However, on LaFollette Aid Bill

WASHINGTON.—(P)—Banking legislation, with particular emphasis on relief to depositors in closed institutions, is the next goal of the bi-partisan congressional combination which established the Reconstruction Corporation that goes into operation this week.

Tuesday Senator La Follette is to bring up the issue of direct federal appropriations to the unemployed which is encompassed in the La Follette-Costigan \$35,000,000 bill and is opposed by President Hoover.

The League for Independent Political Action, headed by John Dewey of Columbia University, issued a call for a third party and outlined a broad program of "progressive principles."

Norman Thomas, 1928 Socialist candidate for president, condemned both parties in a statement issued here and called for direct federal aid for unemployed.

Both parties are divided on the question of giving federal funds to assist the states and cities in relief work and Democrats are drafting a substitute measure. The Democrats plan to ask with probable Republican support, to recommit to committee of the La Follette-Costigan measure.

Another angle of the nonpartisan emergency program urged by President Hoover—increase in taxation to balance the budget—comes before the House Ways and Means Committee again this week.

Both Democrats and Republicans are looking for new fields of taxation, and the committee will hold hearings on proposals to levy federal taxes on electric energy, household gas, gasoline and oil imports.

Senators Glass, Democrat, Virginia, and Walcott, Republican, Connecticut, will confer this week with treasury and federal reserve experts on banking legislation.

The Norris bill retaining federal court in this instance of injunctions in labor disputes is to be reported to the Senate and a move to take it up is expected.

National Guards to Play Willitsville Here

A basketball game of much interest to local fans will be played at the local armory Monday night beginning at 8 o'clock. This game is to be played between the National Guard team of this city and Willitsville, about Nevada county.

The later team is reported to be one among the best in this section of the state.

Sibbeck Guilty, Is Sentenced 1 Year

Pulaski Judge, Removed From Office, Faces Prison Term

Former County Judge William F. Sibbeck, of Pulaski, was convicted by a jury in circuit court at Little Rock Friday and sentenced to one year's imprisonment for subornation of perjury.

The charges grew out of scandalous revelations of fraud in the county's accounts and the handling of an alleged slush fund with which the County Judges association sought to influence the state government in the passage of tax legislation returning special money to the county treasurers.

The association defeated the McCabe bill in the interest of the larger counties, and succeeded in passing the 6-cent gasoline tax bill, which appropriated \$65,000,000 annually for unemployment during the emergency. The appropriation of \$5,000,000,000 for public works and constitutional convention on prohibition.

Sentencing of Judge Sibbeck was delayed pending an appeal.

Basket Factory on Capacity Schedule

25 Additional Men Hired, Manager MacGregor Announces

The Hope Basket company's plant has returned to full-time schedule of production on the day shift. Manager G. J. MacGregor announced Monday. Effective last Friday the factory increased its working schedule from 8 to 10 hours daily, and employed 25 additional men, Mr. MacGregor said.

Only the day shift is employed, but except for the double-shift prevailing at the peak full periods of production, this represents the largest working schedule in effect at the local plant in many months.

## Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the action of the Democratic primary election August 3, 1932.

## HEMPSTEAD COUNTY For Sheriff

SIMON M. BUTTON  
Democrat  
Hope

CITY OF HOPE  
(Democratic Primary Feb. 2)

For City Clerk  
FRED WEBB

For City Attorney  
PAT CASEY

For Alderman  
Ward One  
L. C. (LEX) HELMIS  
BENNIE BENTON  
ROY ANDERSON

Ward Two  
ROY STEPHENSON  
L. A. KEITH

Ward Four  
CLYDE A. MONTGOMERY  
IRA HALLIBURTON  
A. M. MCKAMEY

## BARBS

A Chicago surgeon says American boys and girls are crazy for a good time. A lot of stock market investors have found out they were crazy for nothing at all.

Twenty years ago the automobile had no accessories. Those were the days when a man told a girl she were out of gasoline she had to believe him.

The man who said the automobile of 20 years ago had no accessories probably overlooked the back seat driver.

A Pennsylvania astrologer predicts blizzards, cold weather and floods. Govt. Will Governor Pinchot permit that?

The man who wrote "Alice in Wonderland" would have a lot more material today—now that everybody's in it.

## NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the partnership between V. E. Smith and Roy Jones, operating under the firm name of CITY BAKERY has been dissolved. All debts due the said partnership are to be paid and those due from the same discharged, at 216 South Main Street, in the city of Hope, Arkansas, where the business will be continued, under the name of City Bakery, by Roy Jones.

This 25th day of January, 1932.

V. E. SMITH,  
W. R. JONES.  
Jan. 25-Feb. 1-8-15.

Rent It! Find It!  
Buy It! Sell It!

HOPE STAR  
WANT ADS

The more you tell,  
The quicker you sell.

## Seeks Award

Louisiana Will Try  
To Market BondsLong Confers on Means of  
Raising Cash to Retain  
Employees

NEW ORLEANS.—(P)—Sen. Huey P. Long was back in Louisiana Friday night to direct the attack on Dr. Paul N. Cyr's oiler suit against Alvin C. King, who was left in the governor's chair by Long when he went to the Senate.

Cyr went to Lake Charles Friday from his home in Jeanerette to file the suit in King's home town. He arrived after court had closed but was expected to file the suit Saturday.

Long spent the day in conference with political leaders and bankers to get funds with which he hopes to fore-stall laying off of 2,000 state highway employees because of the low supply of cash in the treasury.

When Long reached New Orleans he was met by editors who told him that the state Democratic Central Committee was inclined to make him Louisiana's favorite son candidate for president. He dismissed the idea as "ridiculous," and said the Louisiana delegates would be either for Jack Garner, John T. Robinson, or Pat Harrison.

King called a meeting of the state Highway Advisory Board to be held in New Orleans Saturday at 2 p. m. to advertise for sale additional highway bonds. He declined to confirm reports that the state would attempt to place \$25,000,000 of the authorized bonds on the market at the earliest possible date, probably March 15.

Senator Long said over the radio that the greatest single problem before America today was the reduction of the spread between the millionaire and the penniless man. It will be necessary, he said, for the people of the United States to get back to the law of Moses which teaches that property must be distributed and redistributed and not permitted to get into the hands of a few.

"Congress will have to take steps to return normalcy to America," he said. "The \$2,000,000,000 national finance legislation will do a great deal of good. However, that good can only be temporary. It cannot be a permanent cure."

Congress has got to find a permanent cure. Eighty-five per cent of the wealth of the country is owned by about six per cent of the people. Nearly 95 per cent have no wealth today.

"Nations, as great as ours, have risen and fallen. But there is no record of any nation failing except because the wealth of the land had fallen into the hands of a few people. The time



Larry Harrowgate (above), New York artist, is among those seeking the coveted Shane portrait prize. His romance with pretty Ellen Rossetti is told in the new serial "The Dime-a-Dance Girl" beginning Wednesday evening in the Hope Star.

is going to come when the wealthy will have to be informed that it is better to live with less funds in a land where the wealth is distributed among the masses of the people than to live in a toiling nation.

## Sardis

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hatch whose little son died the 25th and was buried in New Hope cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleave Mayton are the proud parents of a 10½ pound son, born January 21st. Mother and baby are getting along fine.

Mayton Prother is not attending school this week on account of being in bed with measles.

Francine Rogers and Mavis Hollis are out of school on account of sickness. We hope they will be well soon.

Forrest Hamler and wife left Monday for Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mayton and son, Rufus are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Cleave Mayton.

R. M. Rogers made a trip to Patmos Monday evening.

Mrs. Homer Burns, Mrs. Roy Burns called to see Mrs. Emma Mayton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brent and children of Spring Hill spent Sunday night with Bob Mayton and family.

Mrs. Lucile Johnson, Mrs. Long Rider visited Mrs. Emma Mayton Tuesday evening.

Vernon Hollis and wife of Hinton spent Sunday with Glin Hollis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sevier Mayton returned home Wednesday after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Dock Taylor of Dodow.

Learner Crews and Nell Mayton spent Wednesday night with their teacher, Mrs. Vera Reever of Center-point.

Hoover Administration  
Is Endorsed in Kansas

TOPEKA.—(P)—The Kansas republican state central committee unanimously endorsed the administration of President Hoover and Vice President Curtis Friday and pledged them support for renomination and re-election.

The committee decided to hold the state convention at Topeka March 8 to select delegates to the republican national convention.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of thanking our many friends and neighbors for their kindness to us in the illness and death of our dear son, Charles Ray. We also appreciate the beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ray, and son, Jack.

"A ND to you, my boy," Grand said, "good night."

Ann had almost reached the portieres, sort of sneaking away, before Grand's voice halted her, "Ann, it is my desire that you inform Cecily that I wish to speak with her, and you here and now."

"She is very sorry about this morning, Grand. She will tell you so in the morning, I am sure."

"This morning is forgotten. There is, however, a certain matter which I have decided now to go into, and without further delay. I myself am weary. And with cause. With cause, I may not be able to arise in time to speak with you both in the morning. Also, in my experience, neither of you has much leisure in the morning. No. Do not say tomorrow evening. I am not blaming you. I am not blaming Cecily. But I must remind you that days have elapsed in this house when I have not been granted as much as a glance e' either of you. It is my desire to speak with you both. Not tomorrow. Not the next day, nor the following week. Here and now. Do not force me, Ann, to frame my request as a command."

Cecily was standing alone in the hall, looking at the squares of colored glass in the panels of the closed front doors. Ann said, "Cecily, honey, I'm sorry, but I'm afraid we'll have to go back into the parlor. Something seems to be up. Goodness knows what. Grand is still furious, apparently."

"Ann! Are you going to march back in there and put up with more of that?"

"I'll have to, for a minute. I'll cut it as short as I can."

"Of course, then, I'll have to come too. It isn't right of you, Ann. It isn't fair. You force me into things of this sort. You don't seem to realize what I've been through today. I won't . . ."

"Cecily said, "You are only just coming in yourselves. Why shouldn't Barry be here? It is my home, too."

"Grand, Rosalie, and Ann all began at the same instant, to say something. Rosalie was, "Of course, it is your home," she said, "and the best for many, many years to come. A nest for our three Grumblin, scolding, threatening, she went with Ann into the parlor."

(To Be Continued)

WEAKNESS  
TIRED FEELING

CARDUI has helped many women, as in a case described below by Mrs. B. F. Fogle, of Sulphur, La.: "I suffered a great deal from weakness and a very tired feeling. I

was nervous and my back ached. I did not sleep at all well, so did not feel equal to my work when morning came. My

sister told me that she thought Cardui would benefit me, and after I began

taking it I could tell that it

did help me. I rested much

better, and felt better in every way. I took six bottles and it was quite a bene-

fit to me."

STRAYED or stolen, black horse, about 11 years old, scar on breast. Write Chester Almond, Rosston, Ark., Route 2.

1-31p

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, two or three rooms, connecting bath. Private entrance. Mrs. R. M. Jones, 314 South Shover.

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FOR RENT—Four nice houses. One close in just remodeled. Telephone 606 or 607.

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## NOTICE

NOTICE: Men's suit, cleaned and pressed, delivered \$6. Cash and carry 40c. Family finish laundry service 8c lb. Hope Steam Laundry. Telephone 148.

## FOUND

FOUND—Pocketbook, containing money. Owner may recover same by identifying and describing. See Sheriff John L. Wilson or Clarence Baker of Hope City Hall.

## CARDUI

9014 2nd Street



## The Star's Platform

CITY  
The members of the municipal power plant to develop the water power resources of Hope.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

County highway program providing for the construction of a network of all-weather roads each year, to gradually reduce the cost of transportation.

Health and economic support for every scientific agricultural and industrial educational benefit to Hempstead county's greatest resource, farmer organizations, believing that co-operative effort is the best way to help the country in its time.

STATE  
Continued progress on the state highway program, readjusted tax reform, and a more efficient government through the judicious use of expenditures.

## Dartmoor Prison Riot

AMERICANS have a reason for being interested in the recent riots at Dartmoor prison, in England, quite aside from the fact that the English are trying to blame the riot on subversive American influences. A little more than a century ago Dartmoor prison was very much on the American mind, and many thousand Americans got a much closer view of it than they might have wished.

Dartmoor prison was built in 1809 as a war prison, and was designed originally for the accommodation of captured French soldiers. But as the intensity of the pressure generated by the Napoleonic war increased, Dartmoor got an American angle.

This, oddly enough, came about because England was having a terribly hard time finding seamen enough to man its fleet. From stopping neutral merchantmen to take off and press into the naval service such English-born sailors as could be aboard, it was only a step to seizing American seamen as well, and presently, the situation having become in-

soable, the United States went to war.

So, in addition to Napoleon's soldiers, Dartmoor began to hold American sailors as well—at first only a few, but later on, as English frigates began sweeping up the innumerable and impudent American privateersmen, several thousand of them.

A prisoner of war never has a very soft life, war-time or peacetime, being, without exception, comfortless places; but Dartmoor seems to have been something special. The accommodations were poor, and the food was vile; and the governor of the prison was a hard-boiled officer who ruled with a maximum of severity and a minimum of discretion.

The climax came when he ordered guards to fire repeatedly into the ranks of prisoners massed in an open courtyard, after a mild bit of insubordination had taken place.

All of this, of course, is very ancient history now, and the anger that Dartmoor aroused on this side of the ocean has long since vanished. But it does give the recent disturbances at Dartmoor a peculiar interest for Americans.

## A Good Name for Themselves and for Their State

WHEN the last Congress provided money for drouth loans in Southern states, there was, according to the Boston Post, a general impression in the North that the borrowers would regard such loans as equivalent to gifts, and that the government would see little or none of this money again. But this New England newspaper now says that in entertaining such doubts "we have done the Southern farmer an injustice."

The Post reminds its readers that since July 1 repayments of federal loans in drouth and storm areas have reached nearly one-third of the \$47,000,000 loaned from funds provided by Congress. With particular mention of Arkansas, "which obtained the largest volume of drouth loans," as being "far in the lead" in repayments, the Boston paper says:

"That is a surprising come-back. It shows that the American farmer, wherever he lives, has an honest regard for his debts and feels in duty bound to repay them."

These Arkansas farmers not only put their affairs in better shape by paying off drouth loans, but they earned a good name for themselves and their state. Of the favorable opinion and the gratifying advertising they won for Arkansas, this editorial of the Boston Post is an example.—Arkansas Gazette.

## Writing a Luxury

AUTHORS really can't afford to write books these days, according to remarks made to the National Association of Book Publishers recently by Mrs. Inez Haynes Irwin, president of the Authors' League of America. The profits are so small, considering the time and effort involved in producing a book, that many authors have come to look on writing as a luxury.

This, of course, is too bad; but, after all, that has always been more or less true, and the present is probably not only the fortunate few who can really make any appreciable amount of money out of their books; the great majority—indeed, usually, the finest writers—must class writing as a luxury. Unless they have some inner incentive which is too strong to ignore, they are not likely to stick to it very long.

## Wisconsin's Experiment

It will be interesting to see how Wisconsin's unemployment insurance bill, recently enacted, works out. The bill is apparently a compromise. On the one hand employers, who must set up funds guaranteeing the payment of premiums. On the other hand, it surely goes less far than most workers would want, in that it limits each worker's share to not more than ten weeks of unemployment pay in one year—this pay to be not more than 60 per cent of his average pay.

Nevertheless, the measure represents a good deal more than any other state has been willing to do. Wisconsin's experience with the new law will be well worth watching.

# SOCIETY NEWS

Mrs. Sid Henry

Telephone 821

## Weds Grid Star



Hills taught us silence—  
Trees gave us strength—  
Watching trees bending  
Their long slim length.  
Mountains taught patience—  
Seas harassed—  
Gardens gave beauty—  
And winds caressed;  
Deserts held freedom—  
But thru the home soil  
A grain field in spring  
Whispered of God.  
—Selected.

Miss Eileen Carrigan of Ouachita College, Arkadelphia, spent the week end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carrigan.

Miss Alice Armstrong will leave Tuesday for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Armstrong in Little Rock.

Mrs. Fred Marshall and little daughter, Margaret and I. T. Bell, Jr., of Texarkana were week end guests of Miss Maggie Bell and I. T. Bell, Sr.

Miss Kate Bridewell left Saturday night for Fort Benning, Ga., for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Robert Vestey and Lieut. Vestey.

Miss Whitfield Cannon of Ouachita College, Arkadelphia, spent the week end visiting with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Cannon.

Much to the regret of a host of friends, they have made during their four years stay in our city, Dr. and Mrs. Bowen left Monday for their new home in San Marcos, Tex., where Dr. Bowen will serve as pastor of the First Baptist church.

Misses Thelma Barber and Genevieve Dodd of the Magnolia A. & M. spent the week end visiting with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Durham have returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Dallas, and other Texas points.

Ernest Ridgell underwent a major operation at the Josephine hospital on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Gray announce the arrival of a son, born Saturday night at the Julia Chester hospital. He has been named George Dwan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Duckett and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Weltman were Sunday visitors in Fulton.

The Pat Cleburn chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will hold their February meeting on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Maggie Bell, on South Main street, with Mrs. Bell Lloyd, Mrs. S. L. Reed, Mrs. W. W. Duckett and Mrs. J. K. Green as associate hostesses. The program will be in celebration of the 200th anniversary of the birth of George Washington.

Miss Wanda Keith recently entertained a group of her friends at bridge, at her home on West Fourth street. Prizes went to Miss Pauline Webb and Miss Beatrice Gordon. Those enjoying the occasion were Miss Pauline Jones, Miss Pauline Webb and Miss Beatrice Gordon. Jewell Scales and Thelma King. The hostess was assisted throughout the afternoon in entertaining her guests by Misses Jones and Kink.

The Brookwood P. T. A. will meet on Wednesday afternoon, February 3, at the Brookwood school. The Stury Class will convene at 2 o'clock followed by the regular meeting at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Burgher Jones and little daughter have returned from a short visit with friends in Marshall, Tex.

The Bay View Reading Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. John Gibson on East Front street. Mrs. George Spragins will be leader for the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgher Jones had no week end guests, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Peterson of Marshall, Tex.

Mrs. Lee Graves of Gladewater, Tex., is the guest of her son, Rufus Graves and Mrs. Graves on North Main street.

The B. & P. W. Club will meet Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the Hotel Barlow. Mrs. Robert E. Cain will be hostess.

Ansel McIntosh, who has spent the past few months attending the State University at Fayetteville, arrived home Saturday.

K. G. McRae, Sr., who underwent an operation for removal of his appendix at Julia Chester hospital a week ago, was removed to his home at 308 Edgewood Saturday. He is resting well and recuperating rapidly, his friends will be pleased to learn.

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## He Needed an Overcoat—So He Shot the Biggest Grizzly Bear in the World



John M. Holzworth says good-bye to ursus horowitzi, which he shot in Alaska . . . as this largest grizzly ever discovered goes into the hands of G. H. Sherwood (right), director of the American Museum of Natural History.

By DEXTER H. TEEDE  
NEA Service Writer

NEW YORK.—The largest grizzly ever discovered stands watchful. His teeth are bared and his huge 1200 lb. bulk suggests enormous strength. Those powerful paws could tear a man to pieces.

But the great grizzly, stuffed and reconstructed, just placed in the American Museum of Natural History, is quite harmless now.

John M. Holzworth, Manhattan attorney, was pushing through the interior of Alaska. With him was a party of six. He was after photographs of grizzlies.

Suddenly a blizzard swirled out of the cold Arctic. It was far below zero, the wind roared around them, the snow was a blinding screen. They plodded on. And when a lull came, Holzworth saw indistinct outlines of a huge bear.

He wanted that picture. Directing his party to camp and wait, he started after the bear alone. The storm came again. He stalked the bear as it lumbered on. But the snow was so thick he couldn't take a picture. Soon he realized he was lost—and the wind was worse and the cold was bitter. Night was coming. He feared freezing to death.

He did the only thing. Although he is chairman of the National Committee for Preservation of Alaska grizzly and brown bears, he raised his rifle, aimed, fired. He shot three times and killed the bear.

Only then did he discover its enormous size. He skinned it and used the skin to keep warm. Two days later, climbing a high mountain after the storm was over, he saw the fire of his party and rejoined them.

The dead grizzly was eventually brought to New York and turned over to Gorge D. Pratt, who had it stuffed and presented to the museum.

Holzworth has obtained more than 200 pictures of grizzlies in action. Some he faced at close range, others he "shot" with a camera at long distance. He came away from Alaska with the conclusion that grizzlies are harmless if not molested but terrifyingly dangerous if aroused.

Now he is trying to prevent them from becoming extinct. His plan is to have the national government set aside Admiralty and Chicago islands, off the Alaskan coast, as permanent sanctuaries for the four species of Alaskan bears.

## Slow Science

Doctor: Beer? Certainly not! Didn't I tell you a month ago that you must not touch liquor of any kind?

"Yes, but I thought that perhaps medical science had made further progress since then."—Ulk, Berlin.

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## Montana Coach Reveals Grid System as Author

HELENA, Mont.—(P)—A school teacher who has made flying machines a hobby since 1907 has invented a muffler for airplane motors which he claims virtually eliminates motor noise in flying.

He is Edgar S. Smith, manual training instructor in an Oklahoma City school. His muffler has been patented and tests have been started with various sizes.

Smith said he got the idea for the muffler while flying during the world war. He has spent much time since then overcoming the problem of back-pressure.

## Winslow Man Is Held as Holdup Is Probed

FAVETTEVILLE — (P)—Clayton Meadows of near Winslow was held in jail here Friday for questioning in the robbery of Frank Seabourn of Winslow.

He is a brother of Everett Meadows, who is held in the same jail for the robbery of the Bank of Winslow, to which he has confessed, according to officers.

## The Women, Too

ROME—Italian women are taking advantage of the free instructions given by the government. The group contains more than a hundred peasant girls, three princesses and four duchesses.

## Takes a Lotta Gas

WASHINGTON—As the popularity of the airplane increases, it is going to become a greater user of gasoline than the automobile. Figures of the past year show that airplane companies operating on regular schedules used 20,000,000 gallons of gas and 650,000 gallons of oil, an increase of more than 33 per cent over the 1930 consumption.

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## What Would You Do?



## Students of Magnolia Meet College Officials

MAGNOLIA, Ark.—Colonel Henry Shropshire of Paris, member of the Arkansas legislature, and of the board of trustees of Arkansas Polytechnic College at Russellville, was the principal speaker at a special chapel program at Magnolia A. and M. College Thursday.

During the hour members of the faculty, board of trustees and the presidents of the four A. and M. Colleges were introduced to the student body. These present were Frank H. Russell, president of Magnolia A. and M.; C. C. Kays, president of Jonesboro A. and M.; J. W. Hall, now president of Arkansas Polytechnic College; Senator Richard Whitaker, member of board of trustees Jonesboro A. and M.; J. W. Richardson, member of board of trustees Monticello A. and M.; E. S. Thompson, member of faculty, Arkansas Polytechnic; W. H. Houser, county superintendent of Logan county; Rev. Fred Ward, Ashdown; and N. C. McCrary, Ashdown; H. M. Stephens, Nashville, and H. T. Brown, Scott, all members of the board of trustees of Magnolia A. and M. Colle-

## Oldest Sailor At 73, He's Seen Navy Develop From Days of Clipper Ships

By WILLIAM WARREN

SAN DIEGO.—(P)—During his service for Uncle Sam a 15-year-old sailor still on duty here has witnessed the development of a modern navy of steel superdestroyers from a group of wooden ships with mizzening canvas lashed to their sides.

When Oliver Beaman's White Image Olla Castle first sailed in 1875 the navy was composed of square-rigged wooden ships with sailings steam engines and sheet metal on their sides, the largest of them 200 feet long.

When he re-enlisted for another four years a few weeks ago the navy had in addition to its great battleships and fleet cruisers two strange looking vessels 100 feet long and driven by airplanes, brought up from below, could take off within the space of a few minutes.

Although he was born October 5, 1858, in Arno, Wis., and now is not more than 83 of his years.

Despite his age, Castle does not know more than 10 of his years.

"I think that time I spent in the navy nearly 30 years ago helped to preserve me," Castle says. "Weak-

ness didn't live long in those days."

Castle plans to retire to his farm at Mineraline, Ark., where his family lives, when the 30 years of service elapsed and he is eligible for retirement.

## Woman Hit in Head by Her Step-Daughter Dies

OMAHA, Neb.—(P)—

It took a bullet in the head of her grown stepdaughter, Mrs. E. L. Howe, 36, to knock out her home here Friday afternoon. The bullet was struck during an argument over house cleaning.

Mrs. Gladys Howe, 30, the stepdaughter, took advantage of the opportunity when striking her stepmother with the bullet, but failed. Mrs. Howe had been married only 10 days to the superintendent of a postal substation here.

The new president of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, elected at the association's convention in New Orleans, is Dr. John J. Abel, professor of pharmacology at Johns Hopkins Medical School, Baltimore.

## Long Says Public Takes Dr. Clegg Too Seriously

NEW ORLEANS.—Dr. Clegg Long reached New Orleans early Friday and said he thought his public was taking Dr. N. G. Clegg's maneuvers against Alvin Karpis' government too seriously.

"It is ridiculous for the public to take seriously Clegg's plans for a fight against Karpis," he said. "Clegg is not serious in his words and it is ridiculous for the public and bankers to give a second thought to Clegg, who is trying to obstruct a constructive program."

## Two Are Drowned in Floods in Kentucky

DANVILLE, Ky.—(P)—Two members of one family were drowned today at Elkhorn. It was the second time here, as flood waters swept the home, following a cloudless day.

The dead were John Jones and Alice Grubb, 6.

They were submerged when

water into the frame dwelling of John Russell, who with his wife

escaped.

# On Thursday February 4th

HERE will be opened at 109 West Second Street in Hope, a Brownbilt Shoe Store. One of an independent group of stores handling only Brownbilt and Busters Brown shoes.

THE location is new and will be owned and operated by Mr. Henry Hitt and Ralph Bailey, who have had many years experience in merchandising in Hope.

YOU should be particularly interested in this new store. It will put at your disposal shoes of the highest standards in quality, style and comfort at low, popular prices. Do not mistake our meaning; this is not to be a store of cheap merchandise. Prices will be 49c to \$5.97 including every type, style and size worn by any member of the modern American family.

BROWNBLIT shoes for men and women and Busters Brown shoes for boys and girls are nationally known—are famous for their 100% leather construction—are worn by hundreds of thousands of men, women and children throughout the United States and foreign countries.

HOPPE has never before had such a store. By our placing the entire business of this store with one manufacturer, as well as the store, reap a harvest of benefits. Every possible reduction is made in our operating expense. The manufacturers assist us in merchandising and advertising and makes it possible for us to offer our high grade shoes at prices as low or lower than some so called "sale prices."

WE earnestly desire your patronage. The store has been refinished throughout, giving you a clean place in which to shop.

AS stated in the beginning this new store is to have its formal opening Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. The Wednesday edition of this paper will carry another advertisement which will be of interest to you. Watch for the Wednesday ad and plan on attending the opening.

## Backache bother you?

A nagging backache, with bladder irregularities and a tired, nervous, depressed feeling may warn of some disorder kidney or bladder condition. Users everywhere rely on Doan's Pills. Praised for more than 50 years by grateful users the country over. Sold by all druggists.

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Creomulsion is guaranteed safe and in the treatment of persistent coughs and colds, bronchial asthma, bronchitis and other forms of respiratory diseases, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or fevers.

Money refunded if any cough or cold continues after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist.

**VALUABLE** souvenirs of the occasion will be given with each purchase of shoes on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, our formal opening days. Also, whether you buy or not you will receive a useful souvenir gift in honor of the occasion. See our windows for a display of the souvenirs.

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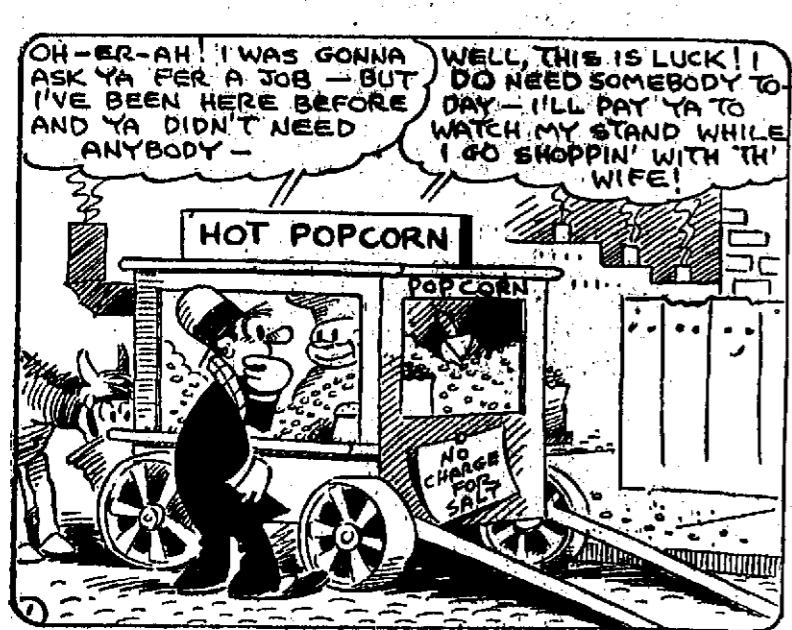
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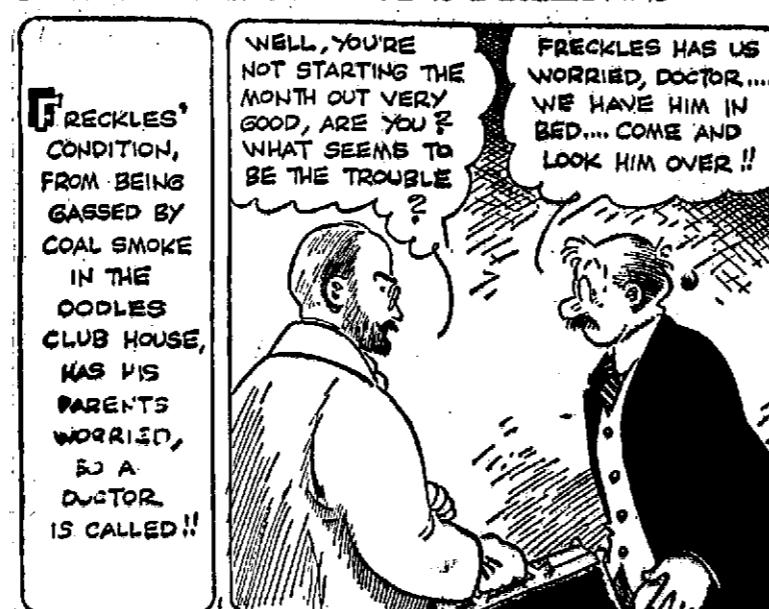
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By Martin

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

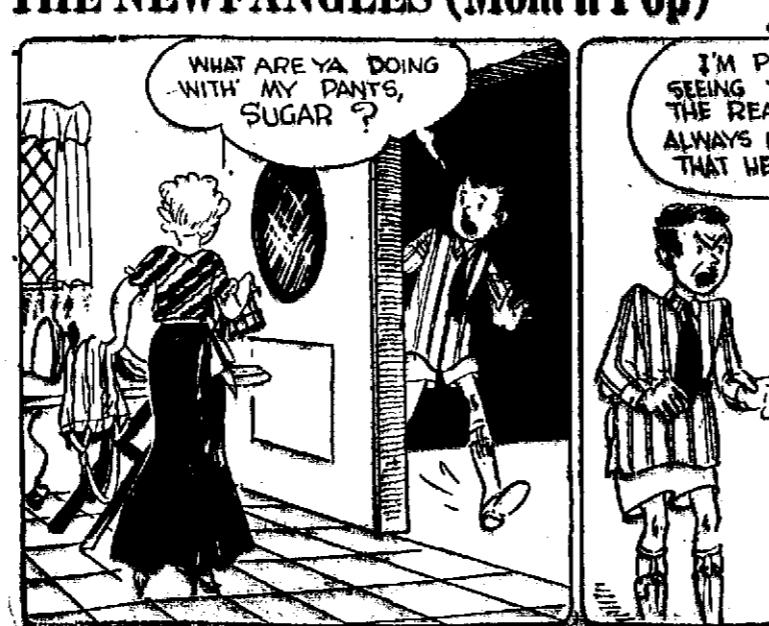
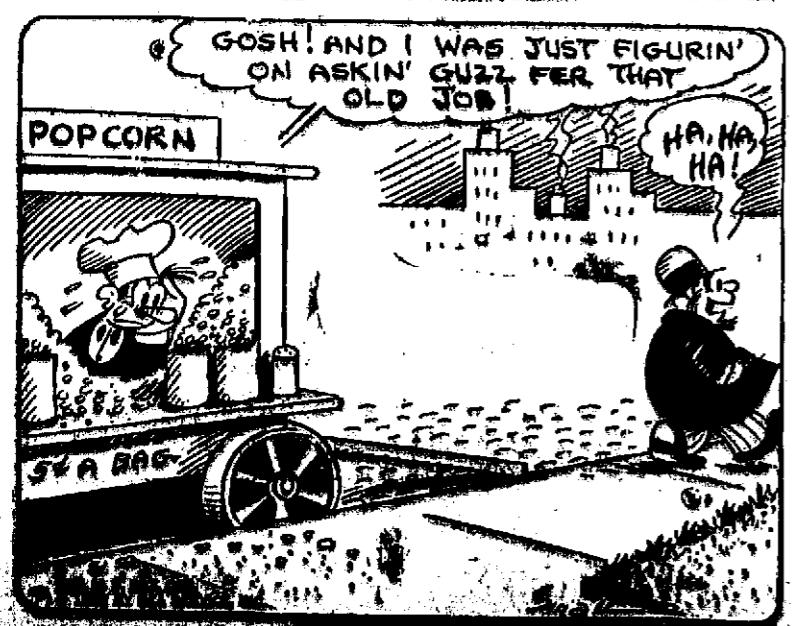
## A Sick Boy



By Blosser

## THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)

## Gladys Stops Him!



By Cowan

**Served In Prison; Pardoned; Didn't Forget Former Mates**



From a convict in the Pennsylvania Eastern State Penitentiary—to a member of its Board of Trustees—is the amazing step taken by Henry G. Brock (above), wealthy banker—and he is shown below with other prison trustees—left to right, standing—Dr. George E. Walk, Dr. Guy Holcome, and Brock; seated—Henry Woolman (president), Mrs. A. F. Liverwright, and Dr. S. Leopold.

PHILADELPHIA—(NEA)—Henry G. Brock was driving his car on the fatal night he had gone back to prison.

But this time it's not as a despairing convict, staring through barred cell windows at bleak gray walls, but as a respected member of the Board of Trustees. The wealthy banker and clubman did not forget the men he left behind him when he was discharged from the Eastern State Penitentiary of Pennsylvania.

A man careening automobile killed three persons as it crashed into a pole at a dangerous street intersection. That was in March, 1923.

Henry G. Brock staggered from the machine to the pavement, only dimly aware through the haze of a brew-beer-fuddled brain of the horror of the tragedy which stirred this community.

A few weeks later, penitent and subdued, Brock came before a court with his counsel, Owen J. Roberts, now a Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court.

He pleaded guilty to murder which the court fixed at second degree, and was sentenced to a term of six to ten years in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

That a woman companion and not

the man had been let in the building defused the fear of damage by earth-quake.

**Skyscraper?**

MEXICO CITY—Because of earthquakes which have been prevalent in the past, Mexico's dwellings and office buildings have been close to the ground. But this city is now the proud possessor of a "skyscraper" office building—of 12 stories. Much of the space has been let in the building despite the fear of damage by earth-quake.

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**Huey Long Must Change Technique**

**In Washington He Will Not Be Huey Long Louisiana Knew**

By W. F. Brooks

WASHINGTON—(P)—Huey Long, political pince de resistance in Louisiana since 1928, faces the necessity of adopting a new technique as he begins his delayed term in the United States senate.

The Louisiana governor, whose exploits commanded columns of space in newspapers, is throwing himself up against a much larger political canvas and observers in the capital will watch his seat in the senate chamber with more than casual interest for many weeks.

At first the formalities and restrictions may irritate the new senator, but, if so, he probably will keep his irritation to himself and plus everlastingly away at what he sets out to do. He is persistent and follows his thoughts with direct action.

He was fiery and fearless in his administration of state affairs and even the most stringent rules unlikely will hamper his style. He will find ways and means to achieve his ends.

As governor of Louisiana, Long, greeted dignitaries in pajamas, signed bills in bed, refused to leave his seat for a political foe might usurp the power for a day, and put off his Washington debut for this reason.

Within 11 months after his election as governor in 1928 he faced impeachment charges—and was exonerated. His fiery personality won both admiration and hatred.

Here in the capital, the youthful senator will find many a curb upon his natural inclinations to cut red tape and formality. First off, he will come smack up against the well-known senatorial taboo against much activity on the part of new senators.

Others as tempestuous and impulsive as the Hon. Huey have banged this unwritten code without much avail. The seasoned veterans have ways and means of enforcing this creed which are unobtrusive but effective.

As governor, the 38-year-old executive had plenty of power to force action upon almost any matter. He even called out the militia to help him when he needed it. As senator, he will find conflicting and special regional needs of others frequently slow up direct action upon his proposals.

Further, there was only one governor in Louisiana at least Long contended as much although at one time caused little workshops to be set up in the prison.

From these small centers of convict industry came ship models, toys, wearing apparel and articles of hammered brass.

At the hearing before the Pardon Board, at which Brock's petition was unopposed by the District Attorney's office, Roberts revealed that Brock had disposed of \$40,000 worth of prison-made products through gift shops which he established in various parts of the city.

The Board of Common Pleas Court Judges in Philadelphia appointed him to the Board of County Prison Inspectors June 7, 1929, and his plans for employment of prisoners there and for a new building to relieve its congestion are now being carried out.

"I am devoting my life to this type of work," said Brock when his latest appointment was revealed. "My object is to improve prison conditions, to assist prisoners in preparing to take a normal position in society upon their release."

Several persons had taken the oath of office. Here is Washington there are 98 senators, each enjoying the same prerogatives and rank as the Senator from Louisiana.

Still further, the press galleries must cover the activities of the house of representatives, the White House, and the various governmental departments each day, so that Mr. Long's activities probably will not assume the import relatively that they did at home.

Here each utterance and action must be weighed in the press dispatch hopper in relation to all the others. Senator Long, as the champion of legislation to prevent the planting of cotton next year, must decide his course immediately.

If he is to effectively present his ideals on the cotton situation he will have to find ways and means to meet these Washington problems. The set up is such that indirectly rather than direct action usually is the order of the day.

**Canadian Track Prospect Upholds Drake Tradition**

DES MOINES, Iowa.—(P)—Foreign track prospects are becoming an annual event on Drake university's squad.

Oswald Penso of Kingston, Jamaica, started a tradition two years ago when he became one of the best broad jumpers ever to perform for the Bulldogs.

Last season Wilfred Gordon of Jubilee, India, won the Missouri Valley conference mile championship under Drake's colors.

This spring Coach Franklin "Pitch" Johnson will have Walter Stilwell of Calgary, Canada, as his outstanding prospect in the sprint and hurdle events.

**Want to Buy It?**

LONDON.—If you're in the market for a nice castle, with ancestral records and everything, the Duke of Montrose will sell you his. The burden of increased taxation and business conditions has forced the duke to sell Buchanan Castle, his residence in Grymen, Stirlingshire. He intends to have a small house built on the castle in which he and the Duchess of Montrose can retire.

**Break For Freedom**

BIG RAPIDS, Mich.—A local butcher shop had an extra large turkey gobbler up for sale. As a prospective customer walked in the store and asked about the bird, Mr. Turkey cocked his head, got an idea of what it was all about, and flew through the plate glass window. The bird caused \$200 damage before it was captured.

**Such Nerve!**

FORT WORTH, Tex.—Jerrald Sizemore, 17, sat in peaceful thought in his automobile. With a start he stopped his dozing. Looking out of the windshield, he saw two youths working to unbolt one of the headlights. Sizemore jumped out of the car and the two youths ran. He managed to catch one of them, who was held on charges of tampering with an auto.

**Spider in An Egg**

DUNCAN, B. C.—The spider that frightened little Miss Muffit had nothing on the one that gave M. Talbot of Trunk Road a surprise recently. He sat down to his breakfast and tapped his egg with a knife. There, inside a small air sack between the shell and meat of the egg, he found a small black spider, he says.

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